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By ECF

The Honorable John G. Koeltl
United States District Court for the
Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl St.
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *Levin v. The Ministry of Culture and Tourism, Republic of Turkey*, 18-Civ. 1586 (JGK)

Dear Judge Koeltl:

As counsel for Plaintiff, Eliezer Levin, in the above-referenced matter, I write to respectfully request an adjournment of the conference scheduled for March 12, 2018 at 2:30 p.m. Because the defendant is a foreign sovereign, service must be effectuated in accordance with the Hague Convention. We have not yet been able to effectuate such service.

Pursuant to Your Honor's Individual Rule 1(E), we provide the following information:

- i. The original date of the conference is March 12, 2018.
- ii. No previous request for adjournments have been made.
- iii. The defendant, The Ministry of Culture and Tourism, Republic of Turkey, has not yet been served with notice of the instant action; under Rule 4(m) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff has until May 22, 2018 to serve the defendant.
- iv. The plaintiff proposes that the conference be rescheduled to a date after May 22, 2018.

We thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Sharon Cohen Levin

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